

Texas Department of Public Safety Texas Division of Emergency Management

Texas State Operations Center



Situation Awareness Brief

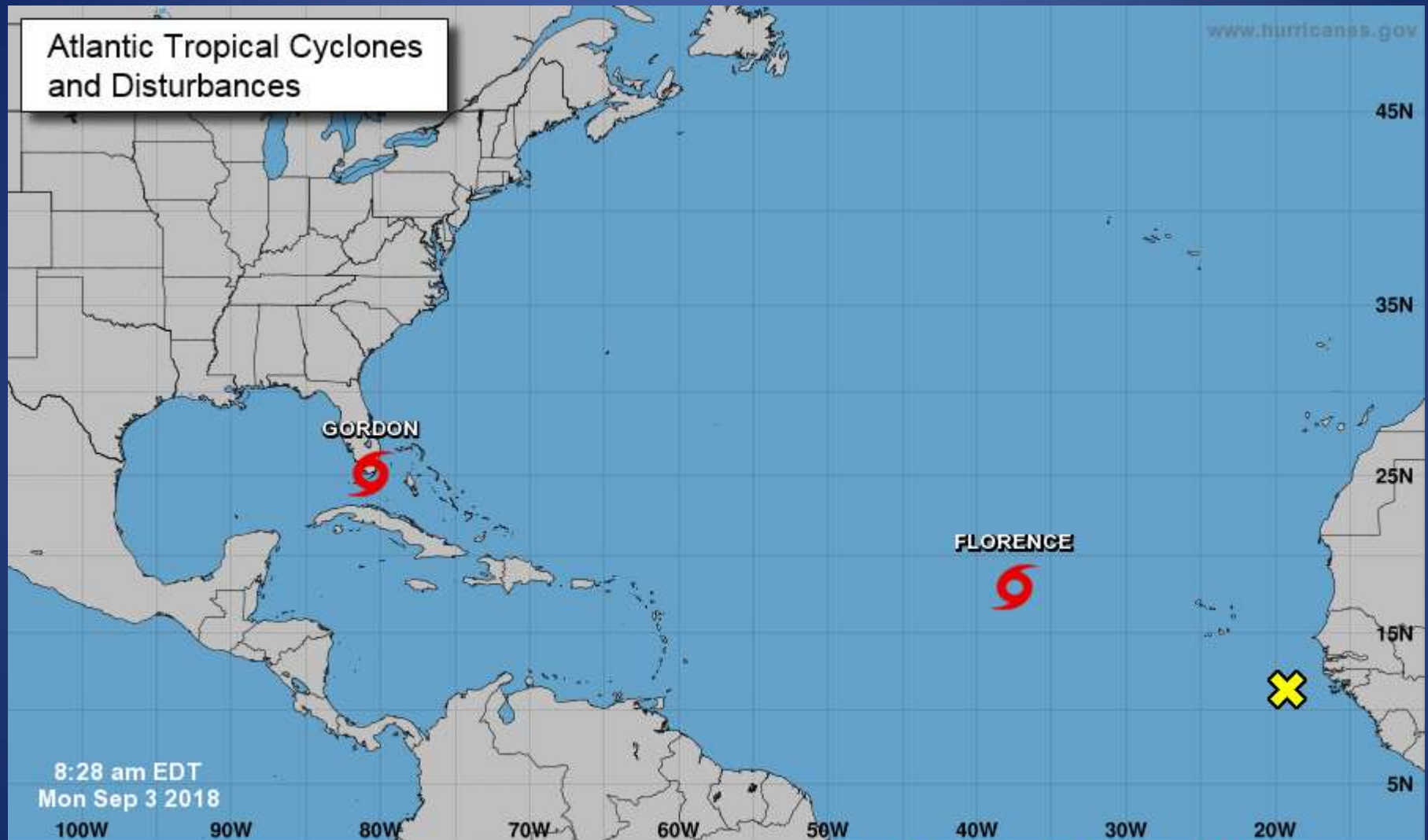


Monday, September 3rd 2018
As of 0900 CST

Tropical Weather Awareness

Atlantic Tropical Cyclones and Disturbances

www.hurricanes.gov



8:28 am EDT
Mon Sep 3 2018

Current Disturbances and Two-Day Cyclone Formation Chance: < 40% 40-60% > 60%
Tropical or Sub-Tropical Cyclone: Depression Storm Hurricane
 Post-Tropical Cyclone or Remnants

Incidents Reported to the State Operations Center (last 24 hours)

DATE	EVENT / INCIDENT	LOCATION (City/County)	Final Report: Y/N
09/03/18	AMBER Alert Request for the Beaumont Police Department	Jefferson County	Y

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DATE	SUBJECT
09/02/18	NWS Houston - Scattered Storms and Heavy Rain Expected
09/02/18	NWS Fort Worth UPDATE Rain/Storms Labor Day Potential Tropical System Late Week
09/02/18	FEMA Region 6 Daily Situational Awareness Report
09/02/18	NWS National Hurricane Center Miami FL - Tropical Weather Outlook
09/02/18	NWS National Hurricane Center Miami FL - Tropical Weather Outlook Corrected
09/02/18	NWS Lake Charles tropic update: 230 pm Sun 9.2.18

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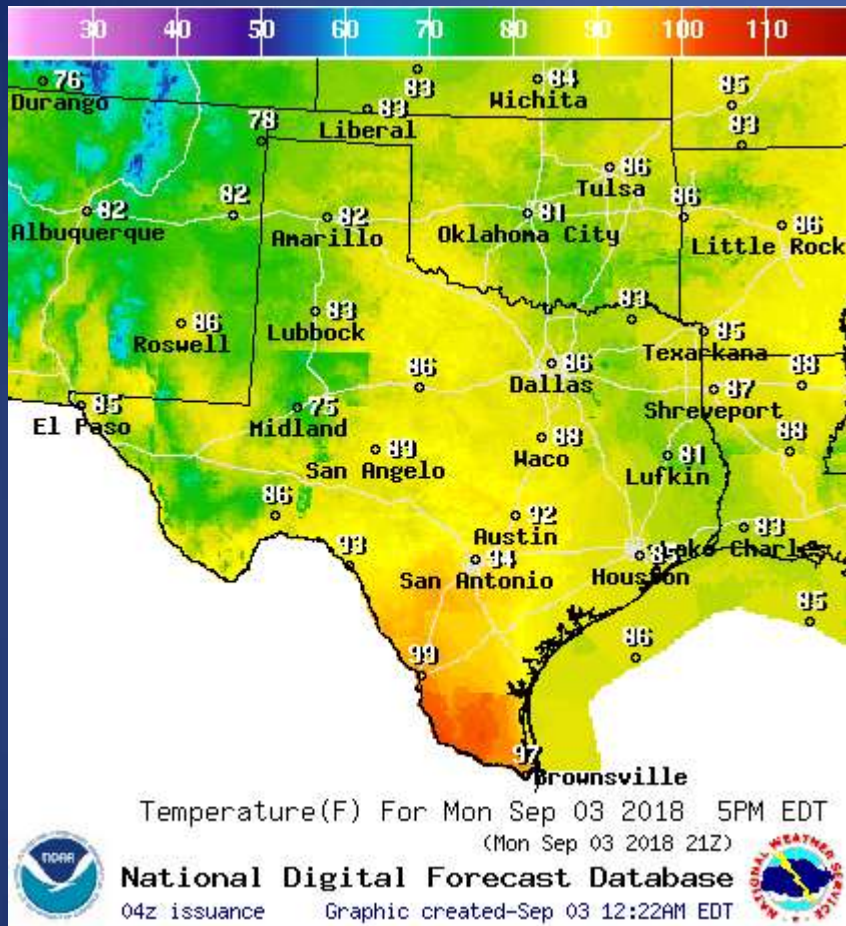
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09/02/18	NWS National Hurricane Center - Potential Tropical Cyclone Seven Forecast/Advisory Number 1
09/02/18	NWS Lake Charles tropical update: 430 pm Sun 090218
09/02/18	NWS Houston/Galveston Flash Flood Watch and Tropics
09/02/18	NWS Lake Charles: Facebook Live Weather Briefing Tonight
09/02/18	NWS San Angelo Public Information Statement, Junction NOAA Weather Radio Off The Air
09/02/18	NWS Shreveport: Special Briefing Monday (tomorrow) at 4:30 pm focusing on the Tropics
09/02/18	Potential Tropical Cyclone Seven Advisory Number 2 2200 CDT
09/03/18	Potential Tropical Cyclone Seven Advisory Number 2A 0100 CDT
09/03/18	Potential Tropical Cyclone Seven Advisory Number 3 0400 CDT
09/03/18	NWS Shreveport- Tropical System in the Gulf forecast to impact the Four State Region
09/03/18	NWS/NHC-Miami, FL: Potential Tropical Cyclone Seven Intermediate Advisory Number 3A

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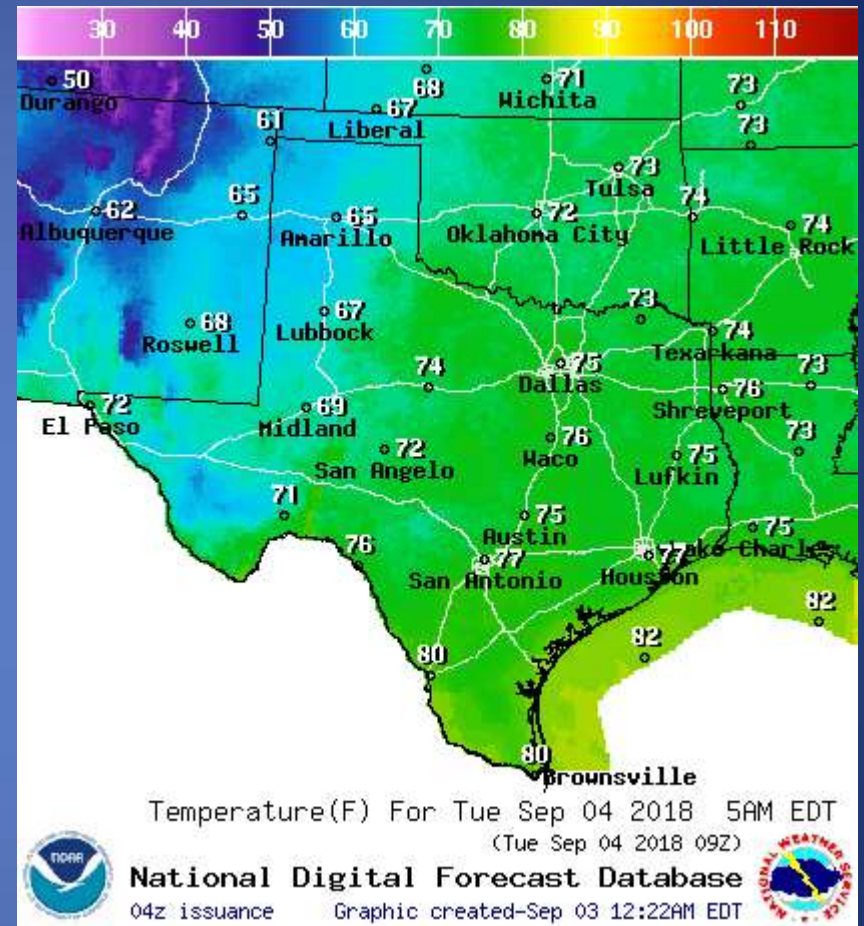
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DATE	SUBJECT
09/03/18	NWS Brownsville- Rio Grande Valley Weather Update: The Latest in the Tropics; Searing Heat Continues; Future Rains?
9/03/18	Daily NWS Threat Brief for Monday, September 3, 2018 for FEMA Region 6
09/03/18	NWS National Hurricane Center Miami FL - Tropical Storm Gordon
09/03/18	NWS El Paso - Weather Hazards Outlook for Monday, September 3, 2018

Weather Forecast

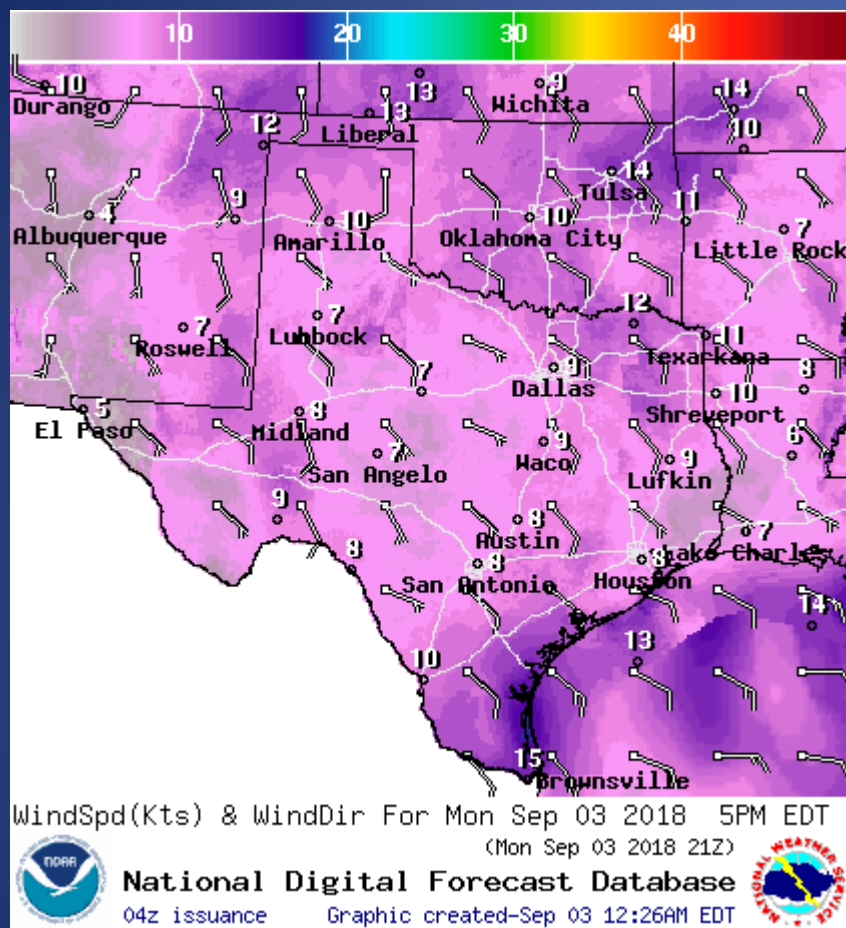


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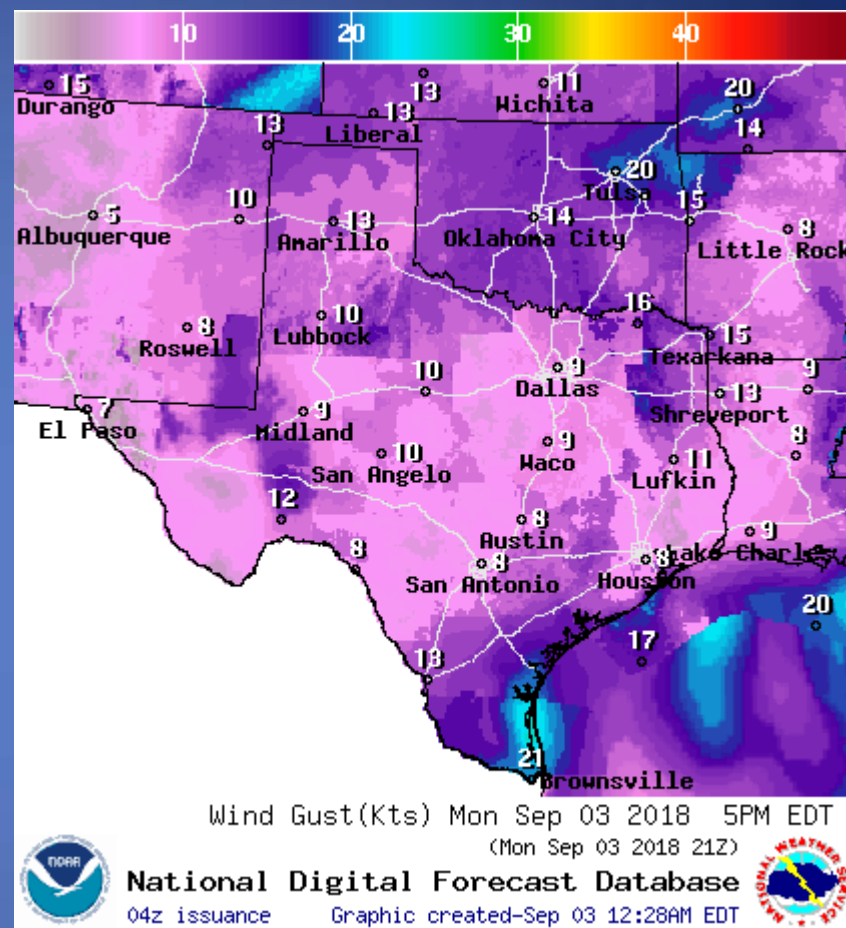


Lows

Weather Forecast



Wind Speeds



Gusts

Hazardous Weather

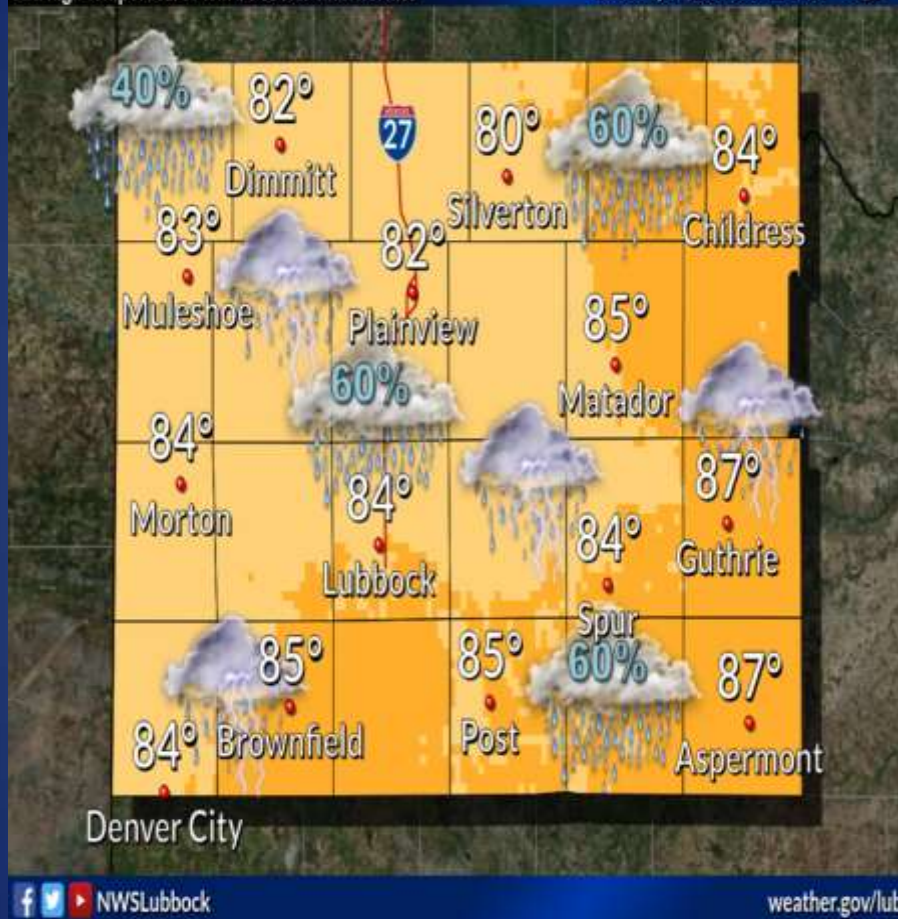
Showers and thunderstorms expected this Labor Day

Weather Forecast Office
Lubbock, TX



and high temperatures will be cooler than normal

Issued Sep 03, 2018 3:40 AM CDT



Today, Labor Day, will be cooler than normal with a good chance for showers and thunderstorms. Heavy rainfall and a risk for flooding is possible.

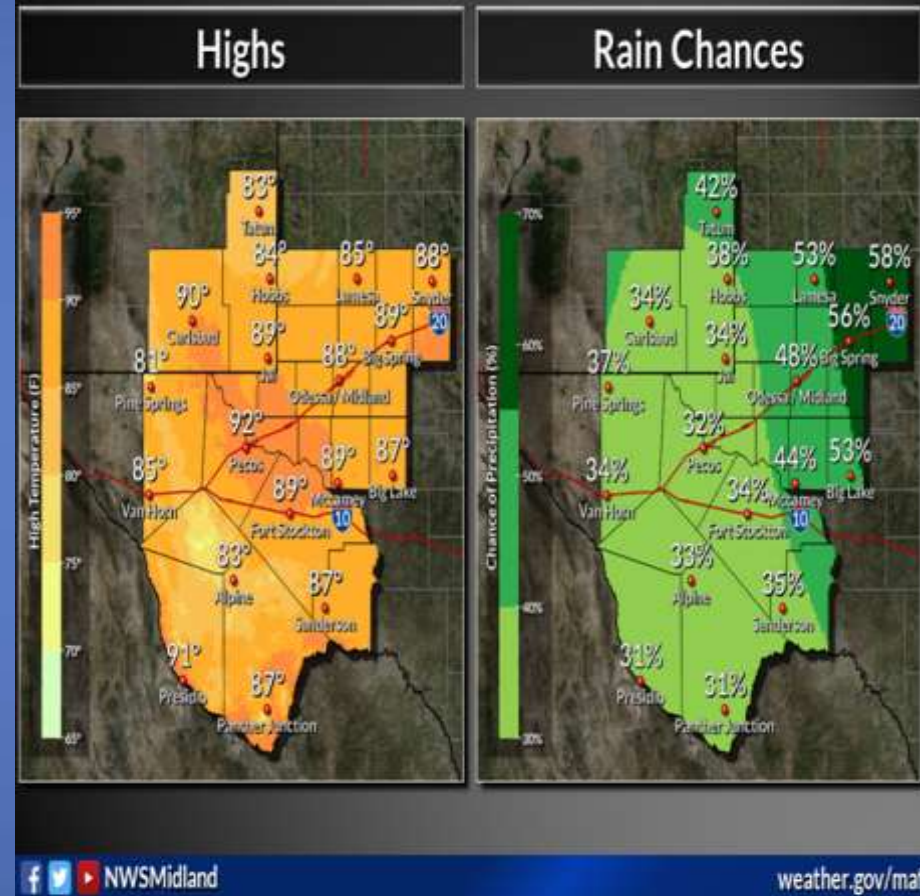
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Weather Forecast Office
Midland/Odessa, TX



Isolated threat of flash flooding.

Issued September 3, 2018 4:31 AM CT



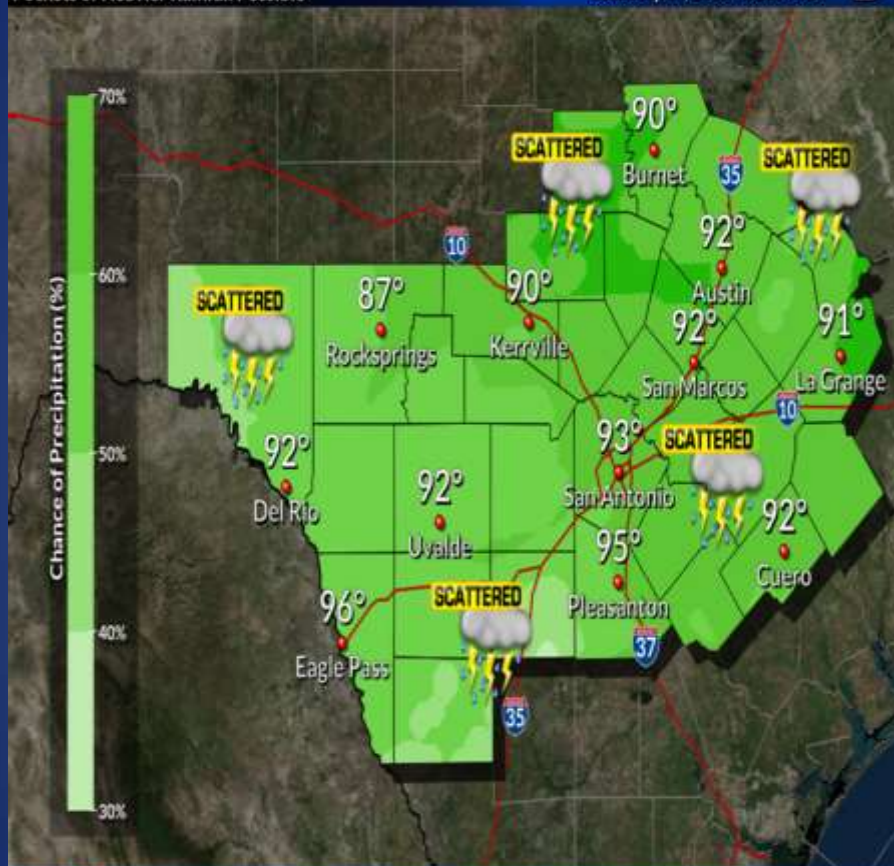
There will be a chance for showers and storms area-wide today, with the highest rain chances in the Permian Basin and Lower Trans Pecos. Some storms may produce brief heavy rainfall creating an isolated flash flood thereat.

Hazardous Weather

Today: Clouds & Rain = Lower High Temps

Pockets of Heavier Rainfall Possible

Weather Forecast Office
Austin/San Antonio, TX
Issued Sep 03, 2018 4:32 AM CDT



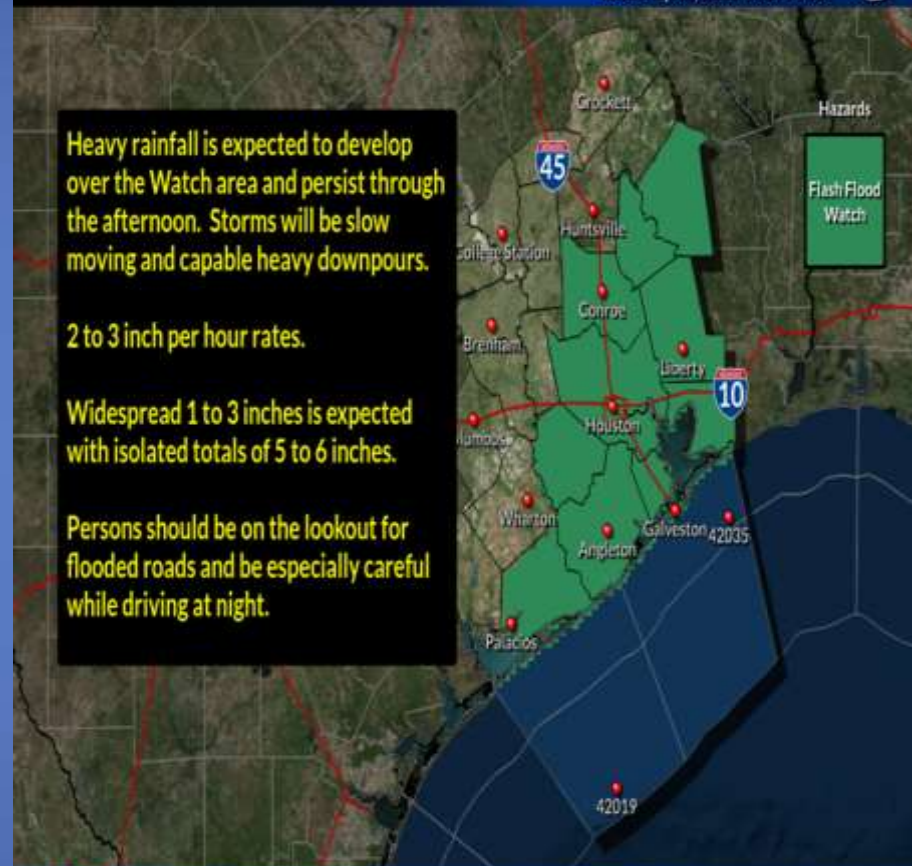
NWSSanAntonio

weather.gov/ewx

With increasing chances of rain today afternoon high temperatures will be close to seasonal normals. Scattered showers and storms are expected across all of South Central Texas today. The stronger storms could produce brief gusty winds to 40 mph and heavy downpour which could lead to localized flood of creeks, streams, and urban areas.

Flash Flood Watch In Effect At Midnight

Weather Forecast Office
Houston/Galveston TX
Issued Sep 02, 2018 4:18 PM CDT



@NWSHouston

weather.gov/hgx

A flash flood watch takes effect at midnight for the expected development of scattered to numerous showers and thunderstorms. These storms will be slow moving and capable of 2-3" hour. Slow down when encountering heavy rainfall and be on the lookout for flooded roadways.

Hazardous Weather

Rain Chances Increase Today

Labor Day

Weather Forecast Office

Fort Worth, TX

Issued Sep 03, 2018 6:01 AM CDT



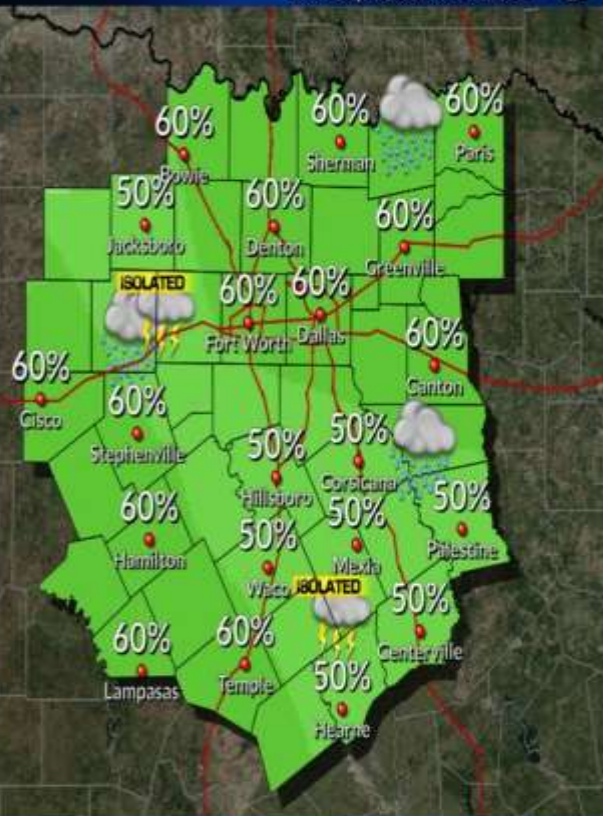
Numerous to scattered showers and storms are expected today. The rain will be hit-or-miss so not everyone will receive rain.

The day will not be a complete washout for everyone but those enjoying outdoor activities are urged to stay weather aware!

Heavy downpours may cause minor street flooding and/or flooding of low-lying areas. Gusty winds are also possible.

Rainfall totals over an inch are possible where multiple showers or storms move across an area.

Otherwise it will be humid and breezy at times with mostly cloudy skies.



NWSFort Worth

weather.gov/fortworth

Numerous to scattered showers and storms are expected today (Labor Day). The day will not be a complete washout for everyone but those enjoying outdoor activities are urged to stay weather aware! Heavy downpours may cause minor street flooding and/or flooding low-lying areas. Gusty winds are also possible. Otherwise it will be humid and breezy at times with mostly cloudy skies.

Heavy Rain Monday

Heavy rain Monday/Monday night could lead to flash flooding

Weather Forecast Office

Norman, OK

Issued Sep 03, 2018 3:55 AM CDT



Flash Flood Risk

High

Moderate

Slight

Marginal



NWSNorman

weather.gov/norman

Heavy rain on Monday/Monday night could lead to flash flooding, especially in parts of western Oklahoma and western north Texas.

Hazardous Weather

Today

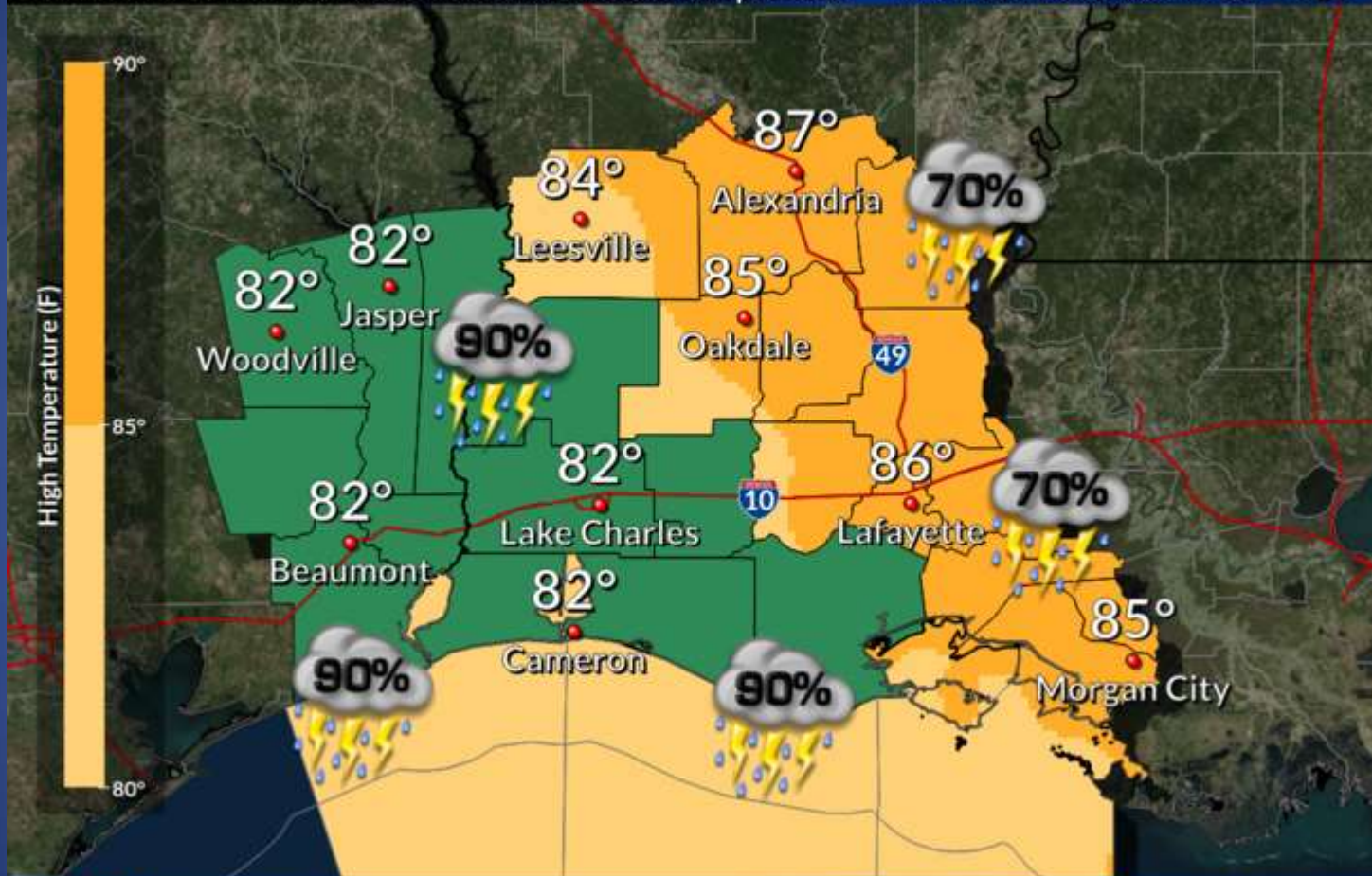
Weather Forecast Office

Lake Charles, LA



Flash flood watch in effect. 3 to 6 inches of additional rain possible.

Issued Sep 03, 2018 5:23 AM CDT



NWSLakeCharles

weather.gov/lch

An upper level low will track across Northeast Texas keeping southwest Louisiana and Southeast Texas in deep tropical moisture which has prompted the issuance of a Flash Flood Watch (green area on map). An additional 3 to 6 inches of rain will be possible across these areas. Highs to day will be in the low to mid 80s with southeast winds 5 to 10 mph.

Weather Warning/Advisories Issued

DATE	WARNING TYPE	LOCATION
09/02/18	Flood Advisory	Bandera, Clay, Frio, Galveston, Glasscock, Hockley, Howard, Kerr, Midland, Stephens, Terry and Young Counties
09/02/18	Arroyo and Small Stream Flood Advisory	Reagan County
09/02/18	Urban and Small Stream Flood Advisory	Bandera, Edwards, Kinney and Uvalde Counties
09/02/18	Small Stream Flood Advisory	Callahan, Runnels, Shackelford and Sutton Counties
09/02/18	Flash Flood Watch	Hardin, Jasper, Jefferson, Newton, Orange and Tyler Counties
09/02/18	Flash Flood Warning	Bandera County
09/02/18	Flood Warning Continues	Rio Grande River affecting Presidio County
09/02/18	Severe Thunderstorm Warning	Irion County
09/03/18	Small Stream Flood Advisory	Mason County
09/03/18	River Flood Warning	Rio Grande Affecting Presidio County
09/03/18	Urban and Small Stream Flood Advisory	Jefferson and Orange Counties

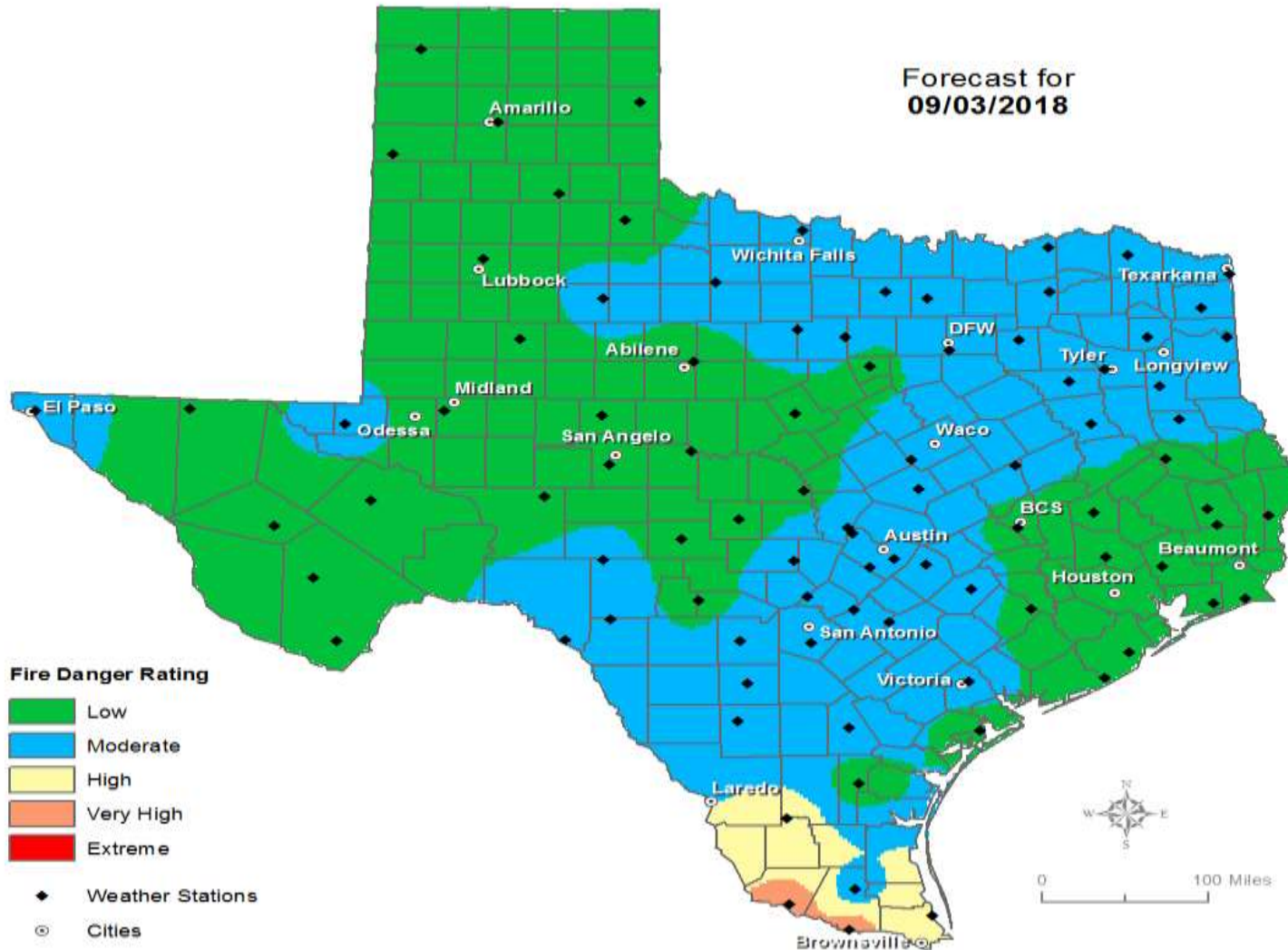
Weather Warning/Advisories Issued

DATE	WARNING TYPE	LOCATION
09/03/18	Flood Advisory	Brazoria, Chambers, Galveston, Harris, Matagorda, Medina, Uvalde and Val Verde Counties
09/03/18	Flash Flood Warning	Brazoria, Chambers, Galveston, Jefferson, Matagorda, Medina, Orange and Uvalde Counties
09/09/18	Flash Flood Warning Remains in Effect	Medina and Uvalde Counties

Fire Danger Forecast

Forecast Fire Danger

Forecast for
09/03/2018



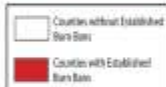
Burn Bans and KBDI INDEX

OUTDOOR BURN BANS

September 03, 2018



Email updates to:
burnban@tfs.tamu.edu



DISCLAIMER

County Burn Ban Orders are established by County Judges and/or County Commissioners Courts. The Texas A&M Forest Service is not responsible for establishing or removing burning bans. The Texas A&M Forest Service is only displaying this information as a public service.

For More Information Please Contact Your
Local County Judge's Office or County Website

RED FLAG WARNINGS: www.weather.gov

Burn Ban RSS feed available at <http://tfsfp.tamu.edu/wildfires/burnban.xml>

Counties with Burn Bans: 153

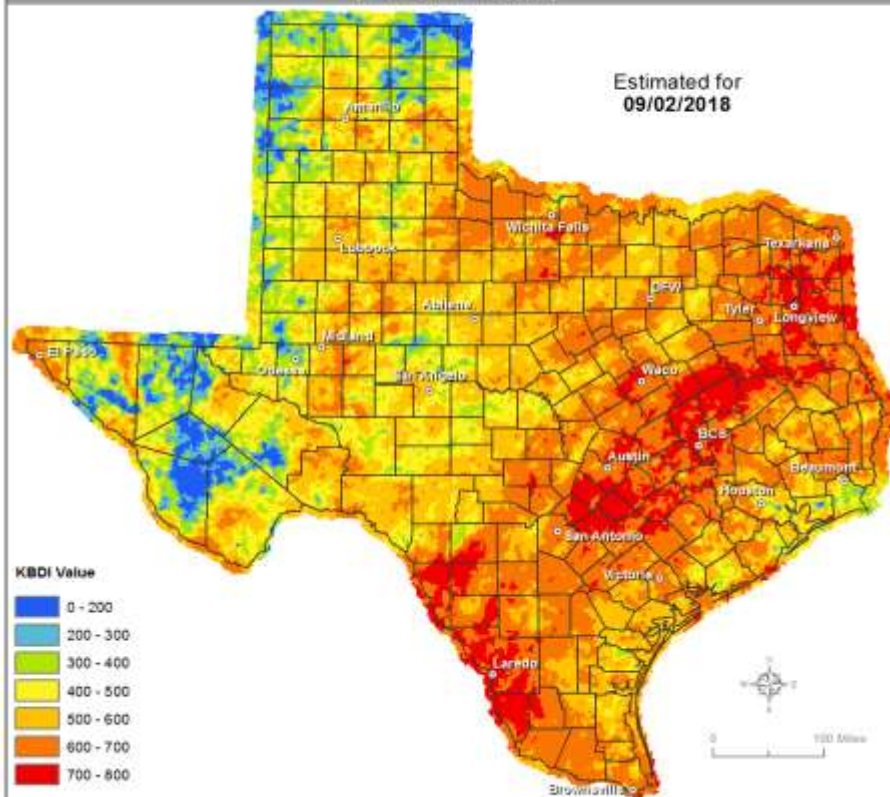
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Armstrong	Freestone	Nolan
Austin	Frio	Oldham
Bailey	Gallatin	Panola
Bandera	Garcia	Pecos
Bastrop	Gillespie	Polk
Baylor*	Glasscock	Presidio
Bell	Gonzales	Rains
Brewer	Gregg	Reagan
Brown	Grimes	Reeves
Browns	Guadalupe	Refugio
Brewster	Hale	Robertson
Brewster	Hall	Rockwall
Brewster	Harrison	Rumpel
Brown	Hartley	Rusk
Burnet	Hays	San Augustine
Burnet	Henderson	San Antonio
Caldwell	Hill	San Benito
Callahan	Hockley	Smith
Callahan	Hood	Somervell
Castro	Houston	Star
Cass	Howard	Stephens
Castro	Hudspeth	Sutton
Cherokee	Jack	Tarrant
Childress	Jackson	Throckmorton
Childress	Jeff Davis	Tom Green
Clay	Jim Hogg	Texas
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* See San Antonio Star for full listing of
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Keetch-Byram Drought Index

(4 km x 4 km resolution)

Estimated for
09/02/2018



KBDI Value

0 - 200
200 - 300
300 - 400
400 - 500
500 - 600
600 - 700
700 - 800

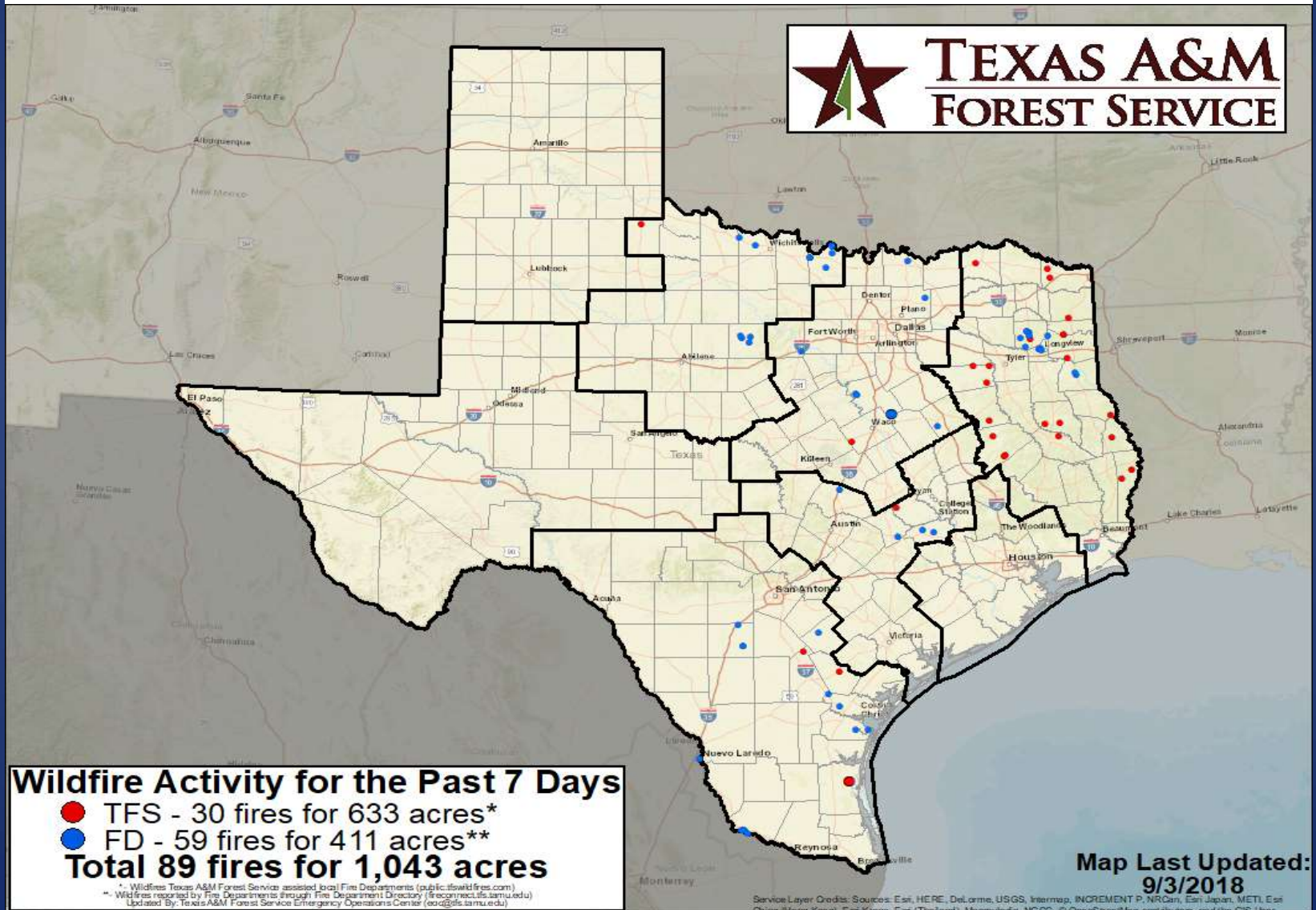
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Fire Activity (*Last 24 Hours)

Reports 940 (no change) fires and 230,538 (no change) acres destroyed this year. There are 153 (+1) counties with burn bans. The Keetch–Byram Drought Index list 232 (-4) counties with an average over 400.



Training

DATES		TITLE	COURSE	LOCATION
07/26/18	09/13/18	Community Emergency Response Team (CERT) Course	G-317	Euless

Exercises

DATE(S)		AGENCY/LOCATION	EXERCISE
09/04/18	09/04/18	City of Snyder OEM/ Snyder	Tabletop: Wildland Fire Exercise
09/04/18	09/04/18	WILCO OEM/ Georgetown	Workshop: Tier II Pre-planning Workshop

Statewide Significant Events

DATE(S)		LOCATION	EVENT
08/27/18	09/05/18	Houston	Houston Astros Home Baseball Game
08/31/18	09/05/18	Arlington	Texas Rangers Home Baseball Game